

# Hopkinsville

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## FOR THREE DAYS DOWN IN TEXAS.

SATURDAY, MONDAY and TUESDAY, FEB. 20, 22-3.

NOT ANOTHER "EARTHQUAKE," BUT SOMETHING MORE STARTLING.

## ..WALLIS' GROCERY..

NEVER WERE SUCH PRICES MADE. You wonder how we can do it. Tis easily told: By Exercising Maximum Care in buying. By a Minimum Expense Account; By Being Satisfied with Small Profits. New Fresh Goods Received daily. No "White Elephant" stock of stale Provisions to be worked off on you.

Prices usually talk. Listen to these—They are more eloquent. Let us save you money.

No One Sells as Cheap as We.

## CASH ONLY.

93 cts for 20 lbs Granulated Sugar.

94 cts for 15 lbs Pure Leaf Lard.

12 cts lb for Sugar Cured Hams.

17c can, California Apricots.  
19c can, California W. H. Peaches.  
17c can, Yellow Crawford Peaches.  
12c can, Fine Pumpkin.  
9c can, Salmon.  
11c can, Little Neck Clams.  
8c can, "Bull Head" Oysters.  
19c bottle, Heinz's Celery Sauce—large.  
23c bottle, Heinz's Celery Sauce—extra large.  
20c bottle, Heinz's Worcester Sauce.  
12c bottle, Heinz's Prepared Mustard.  
14c bottle, Heinz's Tomato Catsup.  
19c bottle, Prepared Horse Radish.  
9c box, English Mustard.

"Wallis' Favorite Roast Coffee"  
Good as Mocha and Java lb.  
**COMPARE THESE WITH OTHERS**  
22c for Best Dark N. O. Mocha.  
37c for N. O. Sugar House Java.  
45c for Extra Fine N. O. Sugar House Molasses.  
**THEY CAN'T BE BEAT**

42c can for 1lb Royal Baking Powder.

8c bottle for Monarch & Evening.

HOW'S THIS!  
7c lb for Apple Butter.

28c box for Baker's Cocoa.

7c each for Large Mackerel.

24c for 6 pkgs Arm & Hammer Soda.

28c gal for Pure Apple Vinegar—4 years old.

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14c one pkg. Arbuckle's Coffee.

23c for 3 lbs Fine Crackers.

15c for Full Cream Cheese.

9c lb for Fresh stick Candy.

16c box for Seedless Raisins, worth 25c.

16c lb for fine Evap. California Apricots, worth 20c.

11c for extra Nine Prunes, worth 12c.

15c lb for English Walnuts, Pecans, Almonds and Filberts.

22c for 6 lbs Hominy Flakes.

23c for 6 lbs Oat Flakes.

17c for Extra Good Hominy.

22c for Choice Selected Navy Beans.

8c for Best Butter Beans.

22c for 3 lbs GOOD Rice.

24c for 6 Sacks Fine Salt.

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NATIONAL EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION'S TRIP TO THE SUNNY SOUTH.

The Journey Through the States Along the Frisco Line—A Jolly Party of 350 Seabirds to Reach Galveston, too Monday Night.

Tuskahoma, Indian Territory, Feb. 14, 6 p. m.—For the first time since I left home yesterday morning, I will undertake to "take my pen in hand" to give some sort of an account of my trip so far.

Leaving Hopkinsville for St. Louis that city was reached at 6:30 p. m. and after a meal at the Terminal Hotel, the delegation from Kentucky became part and parcel of the National Editorial Association, which had been gathering from all over the United States for two or three days. When the Kentucky delegates were counted there were found to be present the following representatives: Col. Geo. S. Rosser, Maysville; Mr. S. T. Breeding, Bowling Green; Col. Jno. J. Craddock, Paris, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Meacham, of Hopkinsville.

At 9 p. m. the association, 350 strong, departed for Galveston, Tex., in ten sleepers. The Kentucky delegation is located in the Malaco, one of the best of Mr. Pullman's buffet cars, with a very pleasant party made up from Minnesota, Missouri, Kentucky and one couple from Indiana and one from Colorado. There are 28 people in our party, 21 of them gentlemen and 7 ladies. The run through Missouri, Arkansas and into the Territory has been a very pleasant one. The weather has been all that could be desired. It is now raining, but a shower gives promise of being brief and has removed all danger of dust to Galveston is being made over two lines, the Frisco line 584 miles to Paris, Tex., and the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe 467 miles to Galveston. The total run is 1051 miles through portions of four states, which added to the run from Hopkinsville to St. Louis, makes more than 1200 miles from start to stopping place.

Rosenberg, Tex., Feb. 15, 1 p. m.—I have been able to make but very little progress on the paper began yesterday, and here I am to-day trying to finish it up. We are due to arrive in Galveston to supper and every body is looking forward with pleasure to the end of what is getting to be a rather tiresome journey. There have been no very noteworthy incidents on the trip so far. We have traversed some of the best farming sections of the West.

While agriculture will always be the leading industry of Southwest Missouri, her mines and minerals are designed to play an important part in her material advancement. The famous lead and zinc mines in the Granite, Aurora and Joplin districts have in a few years made the counties of Newton, Lawrence and Jasper, on the California route of the St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad, increase in population. These counties produce more than one-half the lead mined in the State; and for several years past more than one-half the zinc production of the United States has been from Missouri mines. These mines are surrounded by a rich agricultural region, and the one industry has materially assisted in the development of the other. New mines have been opened up in McDonald, Barry, Christian and Stone counties.

The only stop made in Missouri was at Monett, where breakfast was taken Sunday morning. When the editors sat down to breakfast a buzz of exclamations told a volume for Mr. Fred. Harvey's skill as a caterer. This gentleman has made the eating houses along the route handles his name as a household word. So it will be soon along the Frisco Route which has 1,400 miles in Missouri, Arkansas, Kansas, Indian Territory and Texas.

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was entered. White linen, clean rooms, fresh flowers, white dishes, shining silver, pretty swift-going waiter girls—oh, all the joyous elements of good cheer, until you were ready to nominate Harvey for anything he wanted. This is no joke. Owen Meredith told the truth. And an editor's bread-basket is a little more susceptible than the average man's. When we learned that there was no Harvey on any of the other routes to Texas from St. Louis, we sang the doxology in thanks that we "got on to" Harvey's route.

We passed by Fayetteville, Van Buren and Fort Smith, Ark., all important places. At the latter point we stopped an hour and "took in" the town, which claims about 16,000 people. There was a brass band, some speech-making and then a round of sight-seeing.

Some of the party went to the jail and took a look at the gallows upon which the whole amount due, with interest to the date of such payment, is what the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad holds out to purchasers of its bonds.

The very best grain and fruit lands at from \$2.00 to \$5.00 per acre, on four years' time with equal annual payments at seven per cent interest, not less than \$30.00 as a first payment on time sales, but with the option of paying the whole amount due, with interest to the date of such payment, is what the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad holds out to purchasers of its bonds.

Along its line, the inducing policy is what is making this country blossom as the rose, and building up a very dependent homes. This policy is one of the great subjects of interest brought to the attention of the thinking editors of our party. It underlies the success of the great West. Truly we get broad as we travel.

Arkansas fruit, and especially Benton county apples, have taken first premiums at all the great expositions, including those at St. Louis. The prize apples were seedlings, showing that it is the adaptability of the soil and the favorable climate that produce these things.

Paris, a progressive city of 7,000 inhabitants, with electric lights, street cars, waterworks and other modern improvements. This is the town that gained some rather unpleasant notoriety a year or two ago by burning a negro alive on the public square.

Paris was the home of the late Ex-U. S. Senator, Sam Bell Maxey. His homestead is maintained by his heirs, and his large and rare library is the pride of a typical Texas citizen.

Paris is the end of the Frisco Road. Here is where the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe begins. The two lines compose the Frisco-Santa Fe Route from St. Louis to Fort Worth, Dallas, Galveston and San Antonio, and the latter point makes connection through the City of Mexico. The Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe runs through the heart of the State. Cotton and wheat make a great part of its freight from the country between Paris and Houston; and from there to Galveston the fruit lands, so much talked of everywhere, furnish most of the freight traffic.

Texas from the windows of our train is enough evidence to prove that the State is not in some sections of the country properly understood. The high, rolling country presents a scene of cultivation and prosperity not expected by many of us. The fact that Texas produces one-fourth the cotton grown in the United States was now more easily understood. It was also noted that the Santa Fe's train service, track and general appointments were a continuation of what we found on its northern connection.

The Santa Fe furnishes a most impressive idea of the prairies, timberlands, stock ranges and cotton and wheat fields of the State.

Temple, Tex., Feb. 15, 2 p. m.—At this place we made a short stop and met the reception committee of the Texas Press Association. As soon as the train started, a delightful lunch was served to the entire party, being distributed through the cars by a corps of skillful waiters. Ham sandwiches, salad sandwiches, pickle, cheese, cake, fruit, coffee, beer and punch for those wanting it and cigars made up the menu. This has proved to be one of the most enjoyable features of the trip, the lavish hospitality of the Texas people making a lasting impression on the visitors.

Mrs. Olive B. Lee, of Dallas, National Committeeman for one of the Texas Press Associations, also joined the party this morning and presented each of the ladies with a souvenir box of delicious candy.

The balance of the trip will be made in a few hours and my next letter will be from Galveston.

W. W. Garr died Sunday at Paducah, of heart disease after an hour's illness.

Capt. W. S. Goodwin, tobacco man at Hopkinsville, is in town, in the interest of his firm—Mayfield Mirror.

Mrs. Dr. Ben Letcher has returned from a visit to friends in Nashville. Miss Daisy Kleeman, of Clarksville, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. M. Frankel.

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Mr. Frank Bell has resigned his position as city editor of the Nashville Sun and is now connected with the Louisville Commercial.

## CREAM OF NEWS.

IF IT IS NEW AND TRUE THIS COLUMN HAS IT.

Tax Supervisors Report—Constable Appointed—Deputy Sheriff Sworn in—New Report for Certain—Date of Election Fixed—Taliaferro gives Bond.

Railroading at Cadiz. Cadiz, Ky., Feb. 15.—Mr. Perry Cunningham's house was robbed of about \$75 last Saturday, while the family were away from home.

Brame's Successor Appointed. Mr. Gordon Harnby has been appointed Constable in the Lafayette Magisterial district to succeed W. T. Brame, deceased.

New O. V. Depot. Carpenters are busy at work on the new O. V. depot at Cerulean and will have the building ready for the reception of freight in a few days.

Bank's Mail Close. All of the banks will be closed next Monday, it being Washington's birthday. Paper maturing on that date will have to be paid to-morrow.

Jail Delivery at Princeton. Jim Gentry, white, and Sam George, col., broke jail at Princeton Tuesday night by cutting a hole through the brick wall. A reward of \$100 has been offered for the capture of the fugitives.

Deputy Sheriff Sworn In. Mr. W. H. Ryan has been sworn in as a deputy sheriff. He has been acting as deputy assessor for some time, and did his work in a most satisfactory manner. Mr. Ryan will make an efficient officer under his present appointment.

Gave \$10,000 Bond. Elkton, Ky., Feb. 17.—The examining trial of F. M. Taliaferro, for the killing of Will Day, was called before County Judge Bristow to-day. Bond was fixed at \$10,000, which Taliaferro gave at once. His bond in the aggregate is worth at least half a million dollars.

Plant Land Being Prepared. Many farmers are engaged in burning plant land, and as usual at this season of the year, there are numerous estimates as to the acreage of tobacco that will be put on the land. Information is that an effort will be made to grow all the plants possible, and the chances are that with fair seasons for setting the usual crop will be planted.

To Hang March 20. Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 17.—Gov. Bradley has fixed Saturday, March 20, for the execution of both Jackson and Walling, the murderers of Pearl Bryan.

A great effort had been made to get the Governor to sign Walling's execution for a day later than Jackson's, on the plea that Jackson would confess and vindicate Walling. The Governor refused to sign this would be a useful trouble and expense, and fixed the same day for both.

Tax Supervisors' Report. The Assessor's books, just completed, show the value of all property in Christian county to be \$8,168,700. This is a falling off of about \$100,000 from last year's valuation. The decrease is due to the fact that a number of South Christian farms listed at from \$40 to \$50 per acre were reduced from \$5 to \$10 per acre. The number of legal voters in the county is 7,652. There are 5287 children between the ages of six and twenty. Total number of pounds of tobacco grown in the county in '96, 7,412,350.

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## WALLIS' GROCERY, THE BUSY PLACE. S. MAIN STREET.

### Take a Tumble

To the fact that there is one in town where you can save more money in one than you will know how to invest.

### DO YOU KNOW

That hard cash will buy any very cheap.

### HARNESS & SAILERY

Are no exceptions and we are doing this way and are

GIVING THIS MARGIN TO YOU.

We always keep the best that can be bought and we are sure to please.

## F. A. YOST CO.

No. 7, South Main St., opposite Winfree



# OUR ANNUAL SPRING CLEANING SALE

Begins

Monday, February 15,  
..Ending March 1.

We Do Not Write Fine-sounding Head-  
Lines, But OUR PRICES TALK.

## Ladies' Misses and Children's Shoe Department.

**25<sup>c</sup>**

10 pair ladies' hand turned shoes, sizes 1 to 2  
18 pair of felt slippers worth \$1.50 pair  
25 pair children's shoes, best quality  
27 pair baby slippers, sizes 1 to 5  
15 pair baby shoes, sizes 1 to 5  
15 pair of children's oxford ties

**75<sup>c</sup>**

18 pair misses tan oxfords and strap slippers, worth 1.50  
21 pair misses' button shoes, 12 to 2, worth 1.50 to 2.00  
23 pair child's and misses tan oxford ties  
14 pair ladies' spring heel oxford ties  
57 pair child's black oxford ties  
23 pair ladies' kid button shoes

**\$1.25**

0 pairs ladies spring heel shoes, worth 2.00  
pairs old ladies shoes, worth 1.50 to 2.00  
pair misses' spring heel lace shoes

**\$1.50**

0 pairs ladies c. s. and 1-2 opera toe button shoes, worth 2.00  
5 pairs ladies c. s. lace shoes, worth 2.00 and 2.50  
0 pair ladies fine oxford ties, worth 2.00 to 3.00  
24 pair ladies hand welt button, worth 2.00

**50<sup>c</sup>**

14 pair ladies' kid button shoes, patent tip, worth \$3  
6 pair ladies' hand turned shoes, worth \$3  
8 pair ladies' oxford ties, fine quality  
65 pair child's tan oxfords, size 5 to 8  
48 pair child's oxford ties, size 5 to 8  
15 pair ladies' oxford ties

**\$1**

48 pairs ladies kid button shoes, c. s. and patent tip  
23 pairs ladies kid oxfords, worth 1.50 to 2.00  
16 pair misses' kid button shoes sizes 13 to 2  
19 pair ladies tan oxfords

**\$2**

13 pair ladies kid lace shoes, worth 3 and 3.50  
12 pair ladies tan lace shoes, worth 3 and 3.50  
18 pair ladies kid oxfords, worth 2.50

## Men's, Boys and Youths Shoe Department. Furnishing Goods & Hosiery Department.

**\$3.50**

Mens lace shoes worth 5.00  
12 pair mens congress shoes worth 5.00  
28 pair Louisville Flat shoes worth 5.00

**\$2.00**

18 pair mens hand welt lace & cong., with 3.00  
12 pair mens lace and congress, worth 2.50  
20 pair mens congress shoes  
15 pair mens high cut Elk skin, worth 3.00

**5**

25 dozen mens heavy sock  
59 dozen ladies seamless hose

**18<sup>c</sup>**

Choice of our mens 25 and 30c suspenders,  
Choice of our ladies 25 and 30c hose,

**\$3.00**

21 pair mens lace shoes worth 3.50 and 4  
12 pair mens congress shoes worth 5.00

**\$1.50**

Lot of mens 2.00 and 2.50 shoes go at 1.50

**1**

4 dozen mens 25c susp  
10 dozen childrens tan

**35<sup>c</sup>**

Choice of our 50c a garment underwear,

**\$2.50**

11 pair mens lace shoes worth 3.00  
22 pair mens congress shoes worth 3.00

**\$1.00**

Lot of mens and boys shoes, worth 1.50 to 2.50

**1**

All of our ladies fleec hose worth 25c  
See show window

**50<sup>c</sup>**

Choice of our 75c a garment underwear,

**Hats.**

**50<sup>c</sup>**

Two dozen mens fur hats worth 1 to 1.50  
Stiff hats worth 2 to 3.00

**75<sup>c</sup>**

Lot of mens Alpine hats worth 1 to 1.25

**\$1**

Lot of mens Alpine hats worth 1.50 to 2  
Lot of mens staple hats worth 1.50.

**Hats.**

REMEMBER WE HAVE OUR OWN SHOE MAKER AND REP. ALL OUR SHOES FREE OF CHARGE.

# ..PETREE & COMPANY..

Sign of the Bi-Boot.





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on application.

OFFICE 313 SOUTH MAIN STREET.

—FRIDAY, FEB. 19, 1897.—

### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

**PHILIPS.**—We are authorized to announce Judge John Philips as a candidate for Circuit Judge of the Third judicial district, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Preliminary convention April 5. County convention April 5. District convention at Murray April 5.

**COOK.**—We are authorized to announce Judge Thomas P. Cook of Caldwell county, as a candidate for Circuit Judge of the Third judicial district, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Preliminary convention April 5. County convention April 5. District convention April 5.

**HANBERRY.**—We are authorized to announce Judge J. T. Hanberry as a candidate for Circuit Judge of the Third judicial district, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Preliminary convention April 5. County convention April 5. District convention April 5.

It will soon be "a thing of the past" with Grover.

Gold bugs of Jessamine county will nominate a ticket for the county offices.

President elect McKinley is ill with influenza and will probably not be able to see callers for several days.

The Texas legislature has resolved to rid the State of the school book trust monopoly.

The Fiscal Court of Woodford county has announced that all turnpikes not surrendered to the county by March 1, will be condemned.

An amendment to the anti scorpions bill, which will be reported with the bill, compels railroad companies to redeem unused portions of tickets sold by them at the rate at which the tickets were sold.

Banker J. M. McKnight, of Louisville, was again arrested Tuesday, this time on two warrants, one charging the misappropriation of the funds of a bank and the other conspiracy to misappropriate. His bond was fixed at \$50,000 in each case. Alderman Britt was also arrested on a charge of aiding and abetting in the misappropriation of the funds of a bank. He was released on \$2,500 bond. The arrests grew out of the Britt-Reeder note found among the assets of the German National Bank, which is thought to have been issued irregularly and fraudulently. It is believed that other arrests will follow.

Instead of laboring to harmonize things between the Bradley and Hunter factions, in order that he may secure for himself the Second District Collectorship, why doesn't the gallant, handsome and modest Maj. Crumbaugh re new his insidious advances toward the navy portfolio? That position the Cabinet is being kept open for the right Southern Republican whenever he shall disclose himself, and as there has arisen a Pharaoh who knows not Joseph, now is the time for the Christian-County statesman to again try for a ten-strike.—Louisville Times.

So far as we know, Maj. Crumbaugh's ambition is to be Collector of Internal Revenue for the Second District, but being a graduate of the United States Naval Academy, and having served in the army, the President might go further and fare worse, as our friend is also known to be a scientific man and one of excellent executive ability, he would doubtless administer the affairs of the Navy Department as well or better than any civilian selection could. This is not our fight, however, nor do we undertake to advise the President in his appointments, but if he wants a man of executive ability and scholarly attainments Maj. Crumbaugh fills the bill.

**STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County.**  
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1896.

**A. W. GLEASON,**  
NOTARY PUBLIC.  
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Sold for testimonials free.  
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
Sold or Druggists.  
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

## TOBACCO NEWS.

### HOPKINSVILLE MARKET.

(Reported by J. M. Hagleton, of Cummings & Hagleton Co., (incorporated) buyer on order of, dealer in and handler of, leaf tobacco.)

Hopkinsville, Feb. 17, 1897.

The offerings continue very small comparatively for this time of the year, and receipts are still small. There is no improvement in the offerings in quality.

Our market opened up rather strong on leaf, and have to report the strong cut market of the season on common leaf, while there was a fair line of common lugs offered at one warehouse, which showed a decline of 1c to 1 1/2c while the leaf showed an advance of 1/2c to 1c.

There was a full board of buyers in attendance watching everything closely, and when there was anything suitable for their order, the limit was reached before the prize was captured.

The buyers look forward to good sized offerings from now on. There was more of the new crop, dark, on sale to-day than any one sale yet, and both old and new was well taken care of.

This question has been raised by some of the good farmers whether it was wise to use Paris Green on the tobacco in case the worms were again bad. Would say by no means, do not use it on the tobacco unless you want to kill your fellow man. Would suggest that the best thing to do is to poison the Jimson flower and put lights in your fields to burn the tobacco flies. It is to be hoped the Legislature will pass a law prohibiting anyone from using the poison on the tobacco.

### QUOTATIONS.

Trash Lugs	.....	\$1 00/1 50
Can "	.....	1 50/2 00
Med "	.....	2 00/3 00
Good "	.....	3 00/4 00
Can leaf	.....	4 50/6 00
Med "	.....	6 00/7 50

### WEEKLY REPORT.

Receipts for week	.....	145 hds
" "	.....	495 hds
Sales "	.....	158 "
Good "	.....	928 "
Offerings "	.....	177 "
Receipts for week	.....	19 "

Jessie Harrison was shot and killed at Whitesburg by J. A. Cox, a merchant, who objected to Harrison marrying a servant girl.

## More

Medicinal value in a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla is more than in any other preparation. More skill is required, more care taken, more expense incurred in its manufacture. It costs the proprietor and the dealer more but it costs the consumer less, as he gets more doses for his money. More positive power is secured by its peculiar combination, proportion and process, which make it peculiar to itself. More people are employed and more space occupied in its Laboratory than any other. More wonderful cures effected and more testimonials received than by any other. More pure and more reliable than any other. More people are taking Hood's Sarsaparilla today than any other, and more are taking it today than ever before. More and still more reason might be given why you should take

## Hood's Sarsaparilla

The One True Blood Purifier. 51 per bottle. Sure all Liver and Skin Diseases. 25 cents.

## Hood's Pills

PURE DRUGS

is what we always handle.

Our motto is

"Purest and Best."

We have a full stock of

Bluestone

for sowers of wheat, also

Dawson Water

fresh from the Spring 3

times a week.

Jas. O. Cook.

In a Quarrel over a drink of whiskey George Rushing crushed James Kirksey's skull with a wagon stand near Paducah.

## SPECIAL LOCALS.

### NOTICE.

The people of Christian county, Kentucky, will take notice that the Fiscal Court of said county will meet at their usual and customary place of meeting in the city of H-tp-n-v-ille county of Christian and State of Kentucky, on Tuesday the 8th day of April, 1897, for the purpose of issuing new county Redemption Bonds to be sold for the purpose of obtaining money with which to pay off all outstanding bonds against said county, which said bonds are of issue July 1st, 1897, running for a period of thirty years and maturing July 1st, 1897, and amounting to about \$100,000, or for the purpose of exchanging said new Bonds for said old Bonds as said Fiscal court may determine, also for the purpose of calling in said outstanding Bonds at maturity. The terms and conditions of said new Bonds will be fixed and determined by said Fiscal Court, at said time and place.

Done by order of the Christian County Fiscal Court, this January 6th, 1897.

JOHN W. BRATHY, County Judge.

OTTO H. ANDERSON, County Attorney.

Attest: JOHN P. PROWSE, County Clerk.

Notice.

I have made my settlement, as assignee of Fox Bros., with the Christian County Court, and I hereby notify all who may be in any way concerned in said estate, that I have entered my motion, in said court, to be discharged from said trust, and to be released from all liability on account thereof, which motion will be accepted on by the court at its spring term, 1897. This, the 3rd day of February, 1897.

F. M. CHARLES, Assignee of Fox Bros.

It's a doctor's business to study health. Do so confidently recommend HARPER Whiskey.

For sale by W. R. LONG, HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

For Sale.

I have 30 head of good horses and mules to be sold at rock bottom prices. Call and see them at C. H. Layne's stable.

## Prepare To be Pleased

Never have better goods been shown; never have greater varieties been offered; never have goods been so low. There is no room for improvement in the bargains we are now offering in

## : Our Semi-Annual Clearance Sale :

### OF FOOTWEAR

Which we have decided to CONTINUE FOR 10 DAYS LONGER.

Twice a year we go through our shoe stock, select out all odd and ends, broken sizes and lines we desire to discontinue and cut the price so as to clear them at once. To add to the importance of the sale this season we have founded in the movement many of our regular lines, thus enabling our patrons to obtain shoe bargains not to be confronted with a few lines representing old fashion, out-of-date goods, but the stock possessing all the elements tending to the best Footwear in fashion, style and quality that can be produced and this at a saving of from 50c to \$2 a pair.

Men's tan plain pointed toe, Regular Price \$4.00, Cut to 2 00	Men's calf shoes, Regular Price \$3 50, Cut to 2 65
Men's tan pointed toe shoes, Regular Price \$2 00, Cut to 1 00	Men's calf shoes, Regular Price \$3, Cut to 2 25
Men's black shoes, pointed toe, Regular Price \$4 00, Cut to 3 00	Men's calf shoes, Regular Price \$1 75-1 50, Cut to 1 25
Men's black shoes, Regular Price \$3 50, Cut to 2 50	Men's buff shoes, Regular Price \$1 25, Cut to 98c
Men's black shoes, pointed toe, Regular prices \$3 00 Cut to 2 00	200 pairs of Ladies' dongolas, Regular Price \$2 00 to 3 00; sizes 14 to 4 1/2.
Men's black shoes, pointed toe, Regular Price \$2 50 Cut to 1 50	Take Your Choice for 1 25.
Men's black shoes, pointed toe, Regular Price \$2 25-2 50, Cut to 1 50	Ladies' patent leather shoes, Regular Price \$5, Cut to 3 75
Men's heavy work shoes, Regular Price \$2 25-2 50, Cut to 1 65	Ladies' velvet shoes, Regular Price \$4 00, Cut to 3 00
Men's work shoes, Regular Price \$1 50, Cut to 1 25	Ladies' dongola shoes, Regular Price \$3 50, Cut to 2 75
Men's Cordovan shoes, pointed or coin toe, Regular Price \$5, Cut to 3 75	Ladies' tan shoes, pointed or coin toe, Regular Price \$4 25 and 4 00, Cut to 3 15
Men's cork soles, cordovan shoes, Regular Price \$6, Cut to 4 50	Ladies' black shoes, Regular Price \$2 50, Cut to 1 95
Men's calf shoes, Regular Price \$4, Cut to 3 00	Ladies' black shoes, Regular Price \$1 75 and 1 50, Cut to 1 25
	Ladies' black shoes, Regular Price \$1 25, Cut to 98c

Stand up and tell us if you can where goods can be bought cheaper for none are allowed to undersell. During this sale we will give you ONE-FOURTH OFF OF ANY SHOE in the house no hereafter mentioned. We also call your special attention to our DRY GOODS and CARPET DEPARTMENT in which Our Annual Clearance Sale is still going on, and we will give you a special low price in these departments for the next ten days.

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**Don't Read This Bill Unless You Contemplate Making Purchases, for the temptation will be so great you can't resist it without an attack of the blues that will last no telling how long, but if the contrary is the case don't miss a single item.**

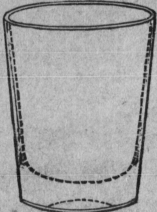
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Bear Rio at 25c per lb.

You are most cordially invited to call and try a cup of the Mocha and Java now being served at our store.

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Are the things we paralyze and put prices on that make fast moving. Don't delay if you need anything in this line:

1 set Glasses	18c	10 piece decorated Chamber	
1 large Pitcher	25c	Set	\$2.68
1 No. 1 Lamp Chimney	4c	1 Bowl and Pitcher	.87
1 No. 2 Lamp Chimney	5c	Milk Pitcher	.40c.
1 No. 1 Lamp Burner	4c	1 set of Plates	.23
1 No. 2 Lamp Burner	7c	1 Slop Pail	1.18
1 No. 1 Lamp (complete)	18c	1 50-piece Tea Set	4.12
1 No. 2 Lamp (complete)	27c	1 Soap Dish	.8c
Glass set	27c	1 Meat Dish	.9c
1 Cream Pitcher	10c	1 set Ice Cream Saucers	.35c
1 gallon Oil Can	21c	1 set Cup and Saucers	.25c
1 Kitchen Lamp	25c	1 Water Pitcher	.17c

## Down They Go!

But What's the Difference, It's All In a Life-time,

anyway and what's our loss is your gain, so "let her go Gallagher."

25 lbs. Clarified Sugar	\$1.00	1 lb. Bucket Coffee	.25
1 lb. Fruit Cake (extra fine)	.20	1 Fiber Wash Pan	.15
1 lb. XXXX Coffee	.15	1 cake Grand Pa's Soap	.05
Atmore's Plum Pudding	.27	1 gal. Imperial Maple Syrup	.85
1 pkg. Shredded Wheat	.10	1 Scrub Brush	.04
1 gallon Sour Pickle	.30	1 self measuring Molasses Gate	2.25
1 plug Greenville Tobacco	.05	1 bot. Armour's Fluid Ext. Beef	.50
1 lb. Green Tea	.25	1 bot. Armour's Ext. Beef	.50
7 lbs. Medium Green Coffee	1.00	2 lbs. extra fancy 40-50 Prunes	.25
1 lb. can Kenton B's & G. Powder	.20	3 lb. can Pumpkin	.08
1 lb. can Price's B's & G. Powder	.45	2 lb. can String Beans	.08
1 lb. can Royal B's & G. Powder	.45	1 lb. Cordova Coffee	.15
1 lb. Spot Cash B's & G. Powder	.49	15 lbs. Finest Leaf Lard	1.00
1 lb. Bon Bon B's & G. Powder	.10	10 Sugar Cured Hams, per lb.	1.23
10 oz. can Bon Bon B's & G. Powder	.06	1 lb. Cream Bon Bons	.15
1 lb. can Ronton B's & G. Powder	.05	1 plug Battle Axe Tobacco	.20
1 lb. Wafers	.15	1 lb. plug Evaporated Apples	.10

## GROCERIES



This will probably be of interest to you, and if you are desirous of spending your Cash where it will bring the greatest returns a few minutes devoted to items below may be the means of saving a good many dollars.

21 lbs. Granulated Sugar	\$1.00
3 lb. can choice Peaches	.10
2 lb. can Corn	.06
1 gallon Sauer Kraut	.20
2 pkgs. Plymouth Rock Gelatine	.25
1 lb. package Arbuckle Coffee	.15
1 gallon finest Coal Oil	.15
15-lb bucket of jelly (full weight)	.85
6 lbs. of Oat Flakes	.25
6 lbs. of Oat Meal	.25
3 cans Greenwich Lye	.20
1 Coffee Mill	.22
1 Pine Water Bucket	.12
7 lbs. Bulk Soda	.25
1 cake (large) Washub Soap	.05
6 cakes (large) Washub Soap	.25
3 lb. can Grated Pineapple	.10
2 lb. can Bull Head Oysters	.15
1 lb. can Baked Beans, Tomato Sauce	.05
3 lbs. Finest Cream Cheese	.50
50 lbs. Stand Lard	2.75
1 bottle pickle (sweet or sour)	.10
1 ing prepared Mustard	.05
2 Cakes Castile Soap	.05
Breakfast Bacon, per lb.	.09
Country Ham, per lb.	.11
5 lbs. elegant Green Coffee	1.00
1 can Salmon	.25c
1 Butter Mould	.18

**WANTED.** Country Hams, Eggs, Dressed Chickens, Turkeys, Etc.

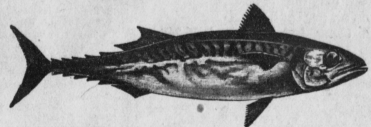
ARE you spending too much money for laundering material? If so, this will probably be the means of a reduction in that line.



10 Cakes Ark Soap	25c
1 Package Nickel Starch	4c
1 Package Gold Dust	22c
1 Zinc Washboard	10c
1 Cable Coil Washboard	25c
1 Clothes Basket	35c
8 Cakes Pretty Soap	25c
3 Cakes Pretty Soap	10c
1 Package Pyle's Pearlina	5c
1 Box Shamrock Blueing	5c
1 Box Azure Blueing	8c
1 Porcelain Washboard	35c
1 Glass Washboard	35c
1 Galvanized Water Bucket	15c
1 Pine Water Bucket	12c
1 Pine Wash Tub	25c
1 Galvanized Wash Tub	75c

**Just Received** A car load of APPLES, POTATOES and CABBAGE. If you want extra nice stock at low prices now is your chance.

## Prepare for Lent



By investing in a kit of nice fat Mackerel. We have extra fine ones at bottom prices.

American Sardines	4c box	Mackerel	5 to 15c each
Mustard Sardines	7c box	Lobsters	30c can
French Sardines	10 to 20c box	Devilled Crabs	50c can
Brook Trout	35c box	Shrimps	35c can
Red Herring	5c each	Shredded Codfish	10c box

## Molasses!

Now is the time of year that Molasses are in demand and if you want something fine for a little money we are the people that can supply the demand.

## Fine Candies!

are something we can please the most fastidious in.

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Buckets (according to size)	.04 to .22c	Slop jars	30c
Oil Can	10c	1 Graduate Quart Measure	7c
Pint Cups	2c	1 Cake Pan	3 to 10c
Coffee Pots (according to size)	7 to 12c	1 Dinner Pail	25c

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A Rich Harvest.

It costs no more to sow good seeds than it does to sow old and worthless stock. How foolish is the person who fails to get the best to start with. No doubt you have often thought of this, when your garden has not done very well.

Will you jog along in the same old way this year, or use the little force thought and send to James Vick's Sons, Rochester, N. Y., for their Catalogue which contains a list of all that's new and good?

Their seedlings are always reliable—sure to grow and never disappoint. Send 10 cents for Catalogue and deduct this amount from first order. Really costs nothing.

Vick's Floral Guide 1897.

For nearly half a century this Catalogue of Flower and Vegetable Seeds, Plants, Bulbs, Roses, Grasses, Potatoes, etc., has come as regularly as spring time. Here it is again to remind us that it is time to think about our gardens. This issue contains half a dozen full page half-tone illustrations of Roses, Asters, Gold Flowers, Carnations and Tomatoes. It seems full of the necessary information for either amateur or professional. Send 15 cents to James Vick's Sons, Rochester, N. Y., for a packet of either Vick's Branching Asters, New Japan Morning Glory or extra choice Pansy and a copy of Vick's Floral Guide. If you state where you saw this notice you will receive a package of flower seeds free.

Bill Afoling killed Dave Meredith near Bowling Green, Ky.

Lands in Central Wisconsin.

Are now as desirable as any in the market. The lands particularly in the central and northern part of Wisconsin, are being rapidly taken up by actual settlers.

The most salable are the timber and meadow lands now ranging in price from \$6.00 to \$12.00 per acre. A few months hence their value will be greatly increased.

For a home or for investment no luckier chance in the West has ever before been offered. Now is the time to invest. No better farming land exists anywhere. No greater results can be obtained anywhere. Schools and churches abound everywhere. Nearly markets for all farm products. Wisconsin is one of the banner states of the West.

For further information address or call upon Y. E. Porel, General Immigration Agent, 410 Old Colony Building, Chicago, Ills.

Alexander Harthill reviews the Louisville tobacco market.

The little daughter of Mr. Fred Webster, Holland, Mass., had a very bad cold and cough which he had not been able to cure with anything. I gave him a 25 cent bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, says W. P. Holden, merchant and postmaster at West Benfield, and the next time I saw him he said it worked like a charm. This remedy is intended especially for acute throat and lung disease such as colds, croup and whooping cough, and it is famous for its cures. There is no danger in giving it to children for it contains nothing injurious. For sale by R. C. Harwick Druggist.

The average ear is from 2 to 3 1/2 inches in length.

Good Morning.

What a bad night. Worried, can't sleep, feel all tired out. Hard mental work takes away the digestive power and the liver becomes inflamed, or perhaps you have oversteped the bounds of moderation. Been staid or drinking to much? In order to promote refreshing sleep after business is over take a dose of Carlsted's German Liver Syrup. It steadies the nerves by quietly stimulating the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels to action. It is famous for the brain. It will make you feel alright in the morning. For sale by all druggists. L. L. Elgin special agent Hopkinsville Ky.

Knitting needles are usually 9 inches in length.

Be Beautiful.

If your blood is bad, your face shows it. It is nature warning you that the condition of the blood needs attention before more serious disease sets in. Beauty is blood deep. When you get pimples and liver spots on your face, go at once and secure a bottle of Carlsted's German Liver Medicines as they will purify the blood, clear the complexion and bring the rosy blush of health to the faded face and take away the liver spots and pimples. For sale by all druggists. L. L. Elgin special agent Hopkinsville, Ky.

The ordinary human nose is 2 1/2 inches long.

The Most Fatal Disease.

It is not generally known that more adults die with Kidney trouble than any other disease. When the first symptoms of this disease appear, the time should be lost in taking Foley's Kidney Cure which is guaranteed or money refunded. For sale by C. K. Wyle, Druggist.

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Most druggists sell you what you ask for. Some will ask you to take something which they claim is "just as good." Sometimes a line of profit induces them to do this. Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey is the best cough, cold and grip cure. After you try it once you will like it too well to accept any substitute.

PLAYING A LAST GAME.

The Patent Farm Gate Man Played Against Time.

One winter's day a patent farm gate man arrived in Thomsville and almost the first man he ran across was Uncle Brill. He was there called him Uncle Brill was the champion checker player of that country, and he had downed every man, stranger or citizen, who came along. There was something about Brill, suspect that he was a good player. So he doffed his hat and said:

"I beg your pardon, but maybe you play a game of checkers now and then to pass away the time?"

"Maybe I do, when I kin and anybody as knows the noble game," replied the stranger.

"Didn't you ever hear of Uncle Brill, of this town?"

"No, I never did. Is he a jumper, or what?"

"His best hit is checkers, sir. He hasn't lost a game in the last 20 years."

"Maybe you might be the critter you're looking for," queried the stranger as he looked the old man over.

"Maybe I are. Yes, suh, that's my name, though I'm not generally alluded to as a 'critter.'"

"And you know how to play checkers?"

"I reckon I dew."

"That's good. I've got a week off, and I'm glad to find somebody to amuse me. Come to the tavern after supper."

When Uncle Brill left home that evening he told his wife he might be gone two hours. The stranger was waiting for him, a lot of idlers had gathered and the game began at once. After two or three moves had been made each player saw that he had an old hand to deal with and began to hedge. There was no hurry about playing. The stranger lay back in his chair and told about the celebrated games he had played with celebrated people and Uncle Brill followed suit, and when midnight came only four or five moves had been made. As the spectators all departed, the man said to Uncle Brill:

"Maybe your wife will be anxious about you, and maybe you want to go home and give this game to me?"

"Maybe I set down here to sit for three days if necessary," replied the old man, and the game went on.

The pair were left alone in the parlor, and at daylight neither of them had a king. At ten o'clock in the forenoon the stranger got the first one. Neither had stopped for breakfast, but after every move the stranger would lay back and tell a story which consumed the next hour. At noon Uncle Brill got a king, but night had come before each had a pair. The game went right on through the evening up to midnight, right on into another day, and both were as watchful and vigilant as ever. At noon word was brought to Uncle Brill that his cow had died, but he would not abandon the game. At night he got word that his old woman was very sick, but he still stuck to the game. When they were left alone again, the stranger said:

"Old man, you'd better give it up and go home. It'll be agin your reputation, of course, but you'll hev to make the best of it."

"I've set out to set here till I win this game or die!" was the reply, and the game went on.

An hour after daylight the first move of the game was made. The stranger, on the checker board, with his hand on a king as if preparing for a move. The stranger was leaning back in his chair and telling a story of how he once played a game which lasted seven straight days. The visitors came and spoke to the old champion, but he made no answer. Then they laid a hand on his shoulder and found that he was dead.

"Dead, eh?" queried the patient game man. "Well, I've been wondering for the last hour why he didn't move his king, but there was no hurry about it—no hurry. I figured that it would take three days to beat him, for sure!"—Philadelphia Press.

Glass Houses.

Glass houses of a very substantial kind can now be built. Silesian glassmakers are turning out glass bricks for all sorts of building purposes, claiming for them such advantages as variety of shape, free transmission of light, strength, cheapness and general adaptability. When complete diffusion of light is needed, as in factories, conservatories, court yards, etc., they are specially suitable.

—In a Same Game.—"I'm a plain, blunt man, Margaret, and can frame no honeyed speeches. Will you marry me?" "I'm a little on the plain, blunt order myself. No!"—Detroit Free Press.

"The newest thing in house letter boxes is a box with an electrical attachment which will ring a bell in the kitchen when a letter is dropped in."

"TIS LOVE THAT MAKES THE WORLD GO ROUND."



Some people think money is a greater power than love. Oh! What a mistake! See how little money kings are trolled by the little boy Cupid! See how great soldiers and men of power are twisted around his little fingers.

A woman's most precious possession is the capacity for awakening pure and noble love. More potent than wit or intellect is the womanly capacity for happy wifehood and motherhood.

A woman who is weak or diseased in the special organ of her sex is deprived of the power and prestige which naturally belong to her. Such a woman needs, necessarily, Perfect health and strength of the feminine organism is insured by proper care and the aid afforded by enlightened medical science. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Remedy for all weaknesses and diseases of woman's special organs.

For nearly 30 years Dr. Pierce has been chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, of Buffalo, N. Y. No other physician has had so extensive practice of greater success in the treatment of women's diseases. No other such perfect and scientific remedy for these ailments has ever been devised. It has restored health, strength and womanly power to tens of thousands of women.

Women would understand their own powers and possibilities should read Doctor Pierce's thousand-page illustrated book, "The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser." It is the most interesting and enlightening book of the kind ever published. A paper-bound copy will be sent absolutely free to any sending it one cent stamp to the cost of mailing only.

Address, World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y. For handsome cloth-bound copy send 50 stamps.

Strawberries are likely to be scarce in West Tennessee this year.

Everybody has a cold sometime—your turn will come. Keep a bottle of Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey at hand and be prepared for an emergency. This most famous remedy will cure a cold before it gets fully started or after it has been running for some time. Take it the sooner you get well.

Six persons were killed in the Freeman mine, near Gouverneur, N. Y.

Three Away His Cane.

Mr. D. Wiley, ex postmaster, Black Creek, N. Y., was badly afflicted with rheumatism that he was only able to hobble around with crutches, and when it came his great pain. After using Chamberlain's Pain Balm he was so much improved that he threw away his crutches. He says this balm is a good deal more good than all other medicines and treatment put together. For sale at 50 cents a bottle by R. C. Harwick, Druggist.

The average cigar is from 4 to 6 inches in length.

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The American mole is about 6 inches in length.

Cured After Suffering 15 Years.

Mr. E. B. Hackett, a prominent drug goods merchant of Morgenthauf, Ky., suffered for years with constipation and indigestion and was prevailed on by a traveling man to use Carlsted's German Liver Powder saying it had cured his cousin. He gave it a trial and he began to feel better after the first dose. After using it, Mr. Hackett who was troubled with piles, was surprised to find himself cured of this most dreaded of all afflictions. He is now a well man and does not have to use any medicine. It cures and you do not become a slave to the medicine. If you are effected in this manner, give it a trial as it will only cost you 25 cents, and should it not prove so very, the druggist will refund to you your money. For sale by all druggists. L. L. Elgin special agent Hopkinsville, Ky.

Miss J. S. Cain and Mrs. Mary Brown were struck by a horse and slightly injured.

Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey is an important addition to the list of the world's most valuable medicines. Harmless in its nature, yet almost infallible in its action, it is undoubtedly the most efficacious means known to date of curing coughs, colds and kindred diseases.

Gov. Atkinson, of Georgia, is in trouble with the Southwestern Tariff Association.

The old story of Prometheus is a parable. Prometheus was on terms of intimacy of gods. From them he stole fire and gave it to men. For this sin he was bound to the rocks of Mount Caucasus, and eagles were set upon him. They only ate his liver. This grew again as fast as it was pecked away. Are his sufferings to be imagined by those who are suffering from dyspepsia than there is of hanging one's self. Sold by all medicine dealers the world over.

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## HERE AND THERE

Man sacks for sale at this office.

The dirt roads are getting in excellent condition again.

Mr. W. E. Ragdale is out again after quite a severe illness.

Dr. E. N. Fruit, Dentist, office over My Bank, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Several car loads of fat stock were shipped to Louisville from South Christian Tuesday.

The Tandy place, corner Clay and 16th street, six room cottage, is for rent for 1897. Apply at this office.

Yates' Barber Shop at Phoenix Hotel, is the place to get a fine clean shave or hair cut.

Do you want to try a fine clean barber? Yates' shop at Phoenix Hotel is the place.

Rev. Sam W. Small will lecture at Richards & Co's Opera House in Pembroke, Wednesday night, Feb. 24.

Dr. C. J. Northington, of Lafayette, who had quite a severe siege of sickness recently, is able to be out and is rapidly regaining his strength.

Important meeting of Casey Grange to day. All members requested to attend.

J. T. Gaxery, W.-Master.

The condition of Mr. W. I. Fraser, of Lafayette, who has been critically ill for several weeks, is unimproved, and his death is momentarily expected.

Account Mardi Gras celebrations at Birmingham, Mobile, and New Orleans the L. & N. will sell round trip tickets to these points at one fare Feb. 26th to March 1st inclusive with final limit fifteen days from date of sale.

J. M. Adams, Agent.

**FINE TAILORING.** Have your clothes made, cleaned and repaired by Fowright, the Tumbler and Cutter. Recognized by the trade as one of the best up-to-date cutters in the profession. Suits made from \$20 to \$60. Pants from \$5.00 to \$15. Bridge street, opposite New Era office.

Mr. Wallace Kelly was twenty-one years old Sunday, and the occasion was pleasantly celebrated Monday evening. There was a large crowd of the popular young man's friends on hand, and they were elegantly entertained. Refreshments, including the substantial, were served and the evening was very happily spent by all present.

One year ago the Rev. Father Drury, a very talented divine, delivered a number of very able lectures in the Court House here. The great number who had the pleasure of hearing him, will be glad to learn that he will preach at the Catholic Church in this city Sunday morning next, at 10 o'clock and also at night. Also will lecture at Moynan's hall Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights, at 7:30 o'clock. The question box will be a prominent feature. All are cordially invited. Lectures free.

**The Modern Way** Commends itself to the well informed, to do pleasantly and effectually what was formerly done in the crudest manner and disagreeably as well. To cleanse the system and break up colds, headaches and fevers without unpleasant effects, use the delightful liquid laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs. Manufactured by California Fig Syrup Company.

Will is Davis was seriously cut b Steve Adkins near Mt. Vernon Sunday night.

J. M. Adams, Agent.



## Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a complicated condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is also only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, may be commended to the most skillful physicians, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

## Crab Shooters Shot.

News has reached this city of a shooting scrape between colored people in this county. During a game of crabs near the school house at Oak Grove Saturday night, a man named Davis was shot in the left leg near the groin and another by the name of Thacker was shot through the muscle of the left arm. Neither party was fatally hurt.

## South Kentucky Poultry Yards.

Cornish Indian Game and Light Brahma Chickens for sale. Also hens and pullets. Improve your chickens. It pays you.

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On Improved Country Real Estate in sums of \$2000 and upwards, not exceeding 40 per cent. of appraised value.

Can obtain loans on city property in less sums through the National Building and Loan Association.

For particulars call on Walter F. Gaxery & Co. Office over Richards & Co's store.

## Scavenger.

J. T. Hall, city scavenger can be reached by telephone at any time Call No. 32.

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6 lead pencils	1c	1 needle book (135 needles)	3c
10 slate pencils	1c	1 quart bucket	4c
12 sheets good note paper	1c	1 lamp burner	4c
25 envelopes	1c	1 wash pan	4c
4 good pen points	1c	1 lamp chimney	4c
1 paper 25 fine blue steel hair pins	1c	1 bottle petroleum jelly	4c
1 paper 280 pins	1c	1,000 matches	5c
1 thimble	1c	1 good rolling pin	5c
1 box blacking	1c	20 doz. cakes laundry soap	5c
2 doz. good hooks and eyes	1c	1 pair shell side combs	5c
1 doz. Lindeys patent safety pins	2c	1-2 gallon bucket	5c
1 doz. dull head toilet pins	2c	1 wooden water bucket	10c
1 doz. good bone collar buttons	2c	1 coil oil can	10c
1 cake fine castile white soap	2c	1 hatchet	10c
1 quire good note paper	2c	1 extra large galvanized wash pan	10c
1 spool King's thread	2c	1 box (3 cakes) glycerine soap	10c
1 wire egg whip	2c	1 Windsor shade complete or spring roll	15c
1 pint cup	2c	1 glass lamp (complete)	15c
1 hasp and 2 staples	2c	1 turkey feather duster	15c
1 paper best brass pins	3c	1 cotton mop	15c
1 doz. lamp wicks	3c	1 galvanized oil can	15c
1 box Swan down face powder	3c	Extra heavy ingrain carpet per yard	25c
1 ink tablet	3c	Fine oil window shades (complete)	25c
1 doz. kid curlers	3c	Extra large chenille table covers	69c
1 curling iron	3c	1 pair chenille curtains	\$2.75
1 spool N. N. thread	3c	10 piece toilet set	1.69
1 box brass shoe nails	3c		

Stoves below cost—Men's Socks, Suspenders and Shirts at Auction prices—Men's Pants at Cut Prices.

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## ...THE GREAT "COLD WAVE" SALE...

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New bargains constantly added. Unquestionably your last and best opportunity. Not another sale for months to come.

*Bassett & Co.* WRECKERS OF HIGH PRICES

Hopkinsville, Ky., Feb. 18, '97.

Dear Miss Blank:

You are cordially invited to be present at our Bicycle Opening, to be given at our store. Friday afternoon from 4 to 6, and Friday evening from 7:30 to 9:30. Mr. Harry Smith, a factory expert, will exhibit and explain the mechanism of a Victor Wheel.

Respectfully,

FORBES & BRO.

Souvenirs

## A Novel Opening.

Friday afternoon and evening Messrs Forbes & Bro., receive at their store 10th and Main, in honor of Mr. Harry Smith, an expert from the Victor Bicycle factory. Mr. Smith is one of the handsomest and best posted bicycle men on the road. He will explain fully the construction of his wheel. The public is invited. Ladies will be given handsome souvenirs.

James Parker, the alleged Arizona train robber, has been captured. The penalty for train robbery in Arizona is death.

## Wanted.

To buy, rent or trade for good second hand or new one-horse spring wagon, with harness. No top. Send price and description to box 77, Caskey, Ky.

The firm of H. N. Bryan & Co. has this day been dissolved. Mr. H. N. Bryan retiring from the business and Mr. O. W. Sanders who represents the company of the future, becomes sole owner and proprietor, assuming all interests and liabilities of the firm. Business will be conducted at the old stand as before and under same name for a time.

H. N. BRYAN, O. W. SANDERS. Feb. 2, '97. House and lot for sale or rent. W. B. Neely, Sargent Building.

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